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Transmitted herewith for filing is the utility patent application of:

Inventor: RALPH R. MCDONALD

Entitled: NON-DISRUPTIVE COMPUTER-CONTROLLED IN-LINE CONVEYOR FLOW

WEIGHT CALIBRATION SCALE

Enclosed are:

- X 31 sheets of specification and claims
- X 3 sheet(s) of drawings and 3 copies of same

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Respectfully submitted,

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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Your applicant, Ralph R. McDonald, inventor of NON-DISRUPTIVE COMPUTER CONTROLLED IN-LINE CONVEYOR FLOW WEIGHT CALIBRATION SCALE, application for which is submitted concurrently herewith (3842-A1), certifies that this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, and respectfully requests that the application not be published at eighteen months.

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